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Enclosed with this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (SIDS) is a copy of an Office Action issued on April 4, 2006 in a counterpart Japanese patent application. Applicants wish to bring the Examiner's attention to the following Japanese patent references cited in the April 4, 2006 Office Action: (1) JP 2000-294491

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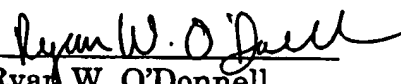
(10/2000); (2) JP 09-200662 (07/1997); (3) JP 07-098416 (04/1995); (4) JP 11-352589 (12/1999); and (5) JP 2000-206455 (07/2000).

The JP 2000-294491 and JP 09-200662 references were previously cited in this application and are not enclosed. A copy of the JP 07-098416, JP 11-352589, and JP 2000-206455 references are enclosed. Applicants have not enclosed an English translation of these references; however, a copy of the Japanese Office Action and an English translation thereof are enclosed to explain the relevance of these cited references. If additional information is required, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned.

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner consider these documents and return an initialed copy of the PTO-1449 form indicating his consideration of the cited materials.

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